



## ***Around the Parish and the Community***

### **FAITH FORMATION**

#### **ADULTS**

Don't forget to sign up for the *CATHOLICISM* series by Word on Fire Catholic Ministries, hosted by Bishop-Elect Robert Barron. The series will begin on Wednesday, October 7, 2015. **Please see the flyer and the Fact Sheet in the vestibule for more information.** *CHILD CARE IS PROVIDED!* Some of you may be familiar with Word on Fire, as we have a YouTube playlist on the homepage of our website at [www.srldenver.org](http://www.srldenver.org), which features brief videos of Bishop-Elect Barron's commentary on a variety of topics. The cost for the series is \$40 per person, or \$70 per couple. Register now to reserve your spot!

#### **RCIA—Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

The RCIA process enables adults to complete all their sacraments, those who wish to convert to Catholicism from another faith tradition, but more importantly, guides adults on a journey that encourages a relationship with the risen Lord. If you or someone you know would like to learn more, please contact Laurie at the parish office. Sessions have already begun, but you can still sign up in the next 2 weeks!

**SECRETS OF SCRIPTURE** resumes on Sunday, September 13 at 10:15 in the church basement. Please join us for fellowship and lively discussion on the Sunday readings! All adults of the parish are welcome. Coffee and tea, and the occasional sweet treat are provided!

#### **FAMILY FAITH FORMATION**

Registration for Faith Formation and Sacramental preparation begins this weekend and ends on Sunday, September 13, first class is September 20. This year we will be implementing a family centered, home-based program, with families meeting at the parish once-a-month for catechesis. Families will receive a monthly packet of lessons to be completed at home. We are hopeful that this new paradigm will allow parents greater flexibility helping their children learn more about their Catholic faith and forming them as young disciples. The fees are \$45 per student, with a \$10 discount

per student if fees are paid before the start of our sessions, which will be October 4. Sacramental preparation fees are \$20 per student. Please make sure to register your child as soon as possible so that we can accurately order books and supplies.

We will begin implementation of the Restored Order of the Sacraments of Initiation as directed by Archbishop Aquila in 2017. However, we will start to step down the age of Confirmation this year in order to get to where we need to be by 2017. Students in grades 6-8 will be involved in the confirmation process, provided they have been involved in Faith Formation and they are baptized. We are no longer offering a high school confirmation program, due to a lack of resources. To get a better understanding of how these changes will affect your family, there is a sheet contained in the registration packet that illustrates the sacramental preparation plan over the next 5 years. The form is also available on our website, [www.srldenver.org](http://www.srldenver.org), under the Faith Formation tab. More information on the Restored Order is available at [www.archden.org/saints](http://www.archden.org/saints).

#### **St Rose of Lima Intentions for the Week**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>August 29</b>
4pm	+Mary Lou Spinner by family
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>August 30</b>
9am	+Pat Carlos by family
11 am	People of the Parish
<b>Monday</b>	<b>August 31</b>
8:30am	Communion Service
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>September 1</b>
8:15am	+Henry Bauer by family
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>September 2</b>
8:30am	+Nancy Roybal by family
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>September 3</b>
8:30am	+Robert Gomez by family
<b>Friday</b>	<b>September 4</b>
8:30am	+Neil Romano by family
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>September 5</b>
4pm	+Gertrude Valdez by family
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>September 6</b>
9 am	+Juan Vigil by family
11:30am	People of the Parish

#### **RETIRO MATRIMONIAL →**

En Septiembre 25, 26, y 27. Tu matrimonio será renovado por el Señor. Información @ 303.257.3062 o 720.271.2689

## ***Calling All Artists and Crafters !!***

The 45<sup>th</sup> Annual St Rose of Lima Arts & Crafts Fair will be held on Saturday and Sunday of November 21 and 22. We are signing up vendors NOW! If you are interested in renting a table, please contact Steve Martinez at 303.885.9039.

## ***ALTAR & ROSARY MEETING***

**The first meeting of the year for the Altar & Rosary Society will be Thursday, September 10, at 7:00pm in the Rose Room. Access to the Rose Room will be thru the Alley door. All ladies of the parish are encouraged to attend. There will be a brief budget and activities meeting followed with refreshments.**

Have you had an Abortion? Do you suffer from any of the following? Bouts of crying—depression—guilt—intense grief/sadness—anger/rage—low self-esteem—emotional numbness—anxiety or panic attack—difficulty with relationships—compulsive eating or addiction. These are just some of the after-effects of abortion. **Rachel's Vineyard Retreat** addresses the soul wounds that run deep in many, women and men who are suffering with the psychological or spiritual pain of abortion. These as well as memories of condemnation, abandonment, pain and confusion are handled with care and replaced by the healing presence, love and mercy of Jesus Christ. The next retreat will be held the weekend of October 2, 3, 4. Contact Lori at 303.904.7414 or [lorgreg@msn.com](mailto:lorgreg@msn.com). You can get more information and testimonies of healing from previous retreatants at [www.rvrcolorado.org](http://www.rvrcolorado.org) or [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org). Participation is always confidential. Deadline for registration is September 28. (With the recent news stories on Planned Parenthood, many post-abortive men and women are suffering more and more and are need of healing.)

## ***Friends of the Poor Walk***

The Society of St Vincent de Paul is hosting its 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Friends Walk of the Poor. The Walk raises funds for rent and utility assistance for low income families. The will be held at Our Lady of Loreto in

Aurora at 18000 E Arapahoe Road. Contact [svdpden@outlook.com](mailto:svdpden@outlook.com) for info and to sign up!

Many of you remember Fr Paul from Cross Catholic Outreach. He visited us a few months ago to tell us of the work of his organization in Haiti, building homes for the desperate poor. They joined with a builder to provide concrete blocks that will make it possible to build a small (250 sq ft) home with a durable roof to withstand heavy rainstorms. These homes cost on \$5,520 to construct. You can send them a tax deductible gift at Cross Catholic Outreach, PO Box 273908, Boca Raton, FL 33427-3908.

## **ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY Mass**

The annual anniversary Mass will be at 1:00pm on Sunday, October 11, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (IHM). IHM is located at 11385 Grant Drive in Northglenn. Archbishop Aquila will be the Main Celebrant for the Mass. Join him and other couples who have reached their 25<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, or over 50<sup>th</sup> anniversaries. To RSVP, go to [www.archden.org/anniversary](http://www.archden.org/anniversary).

## **FUNDRAISER SPAGHETTI WITH MEAT BALLS DINNER AT MULLEN HOME !!!!**

The Little Sisters of the Poor at Mullen Home are sponsoring a Spaghetti Dinner. Mullen Home, at 29<sup>th</sup> Street & Lowell is the place. Dinner begins at 4:00pm on Wednesday, September 16. Cost is only \$5 at the door. There will also be information on Respect Life, Women's Issues, and Respect for the Elderly. For more info or questions call Sister Patricia at 303.433.7221, extension 128. Or at [abby@belanwc.org](mailto:abby@belanwc.org)

St Michael the Archangel Catholic Church is hosting an International Living Rosary on Friday, September 11 at 7:00pm. Come and pray the rosary and experience various nationalities sharing this prayer in their native tongue. Over 15 different languages will be featured. If you speak a foreign language and would like to participate, contact Perry at 303.699.1073 or Josephine at 303.750.1627. Come to this special event and enjoy the rosary in different languages, special music presentations and hymns. St Michael is at 19099 E Floyd Avenue in Aurora.